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PART V.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 37th Saturday in 1920 (11th September 1920).

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday										Prices of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1920									
						This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
		2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		Seers.	Seers.	Seers.
	„ City & Taluk ...	...	...	0	64	11	25	19	80	— 8	55				
	Hoskote ...	...	...	0	34	6	63	13	93	— 7	30				
	Dodballapur ...	...	...	0	89	13	40	16	66	— 3	26	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·00	4·00	6·00
	Nelamangala ...	...	...	0	93	13	88	15	98	— 2	10	Ragi	7·00	7·00	12·62
	Kankanhalli ...	0	24	1	24	13	35	16	74	— 3	39	Kulthi	6·00	6·00	10·37
	Magadi ...	0	34	0	51	15	59	17	86	— 2	27	Kadale	4·00	4·00	7·18
	Channapatna ...	0	41	1	00	14	76	18	27	— 3	51				
	Anekal ...	0	...	0	71	15	62	18	49	— 2	87				
	Devanhalli ...	...	07	0	66	8	77	15	92	— 7	15				
	Closepet ...	0	28	0	99	17	73	17	54	+ 0	19				
	District average...	0	13	0	79	13	10	17	12	— 4	02				
KOLAR.	Kolar ...	...	...	1	33	9	28	18	48	— 9	20				
	Bowringpet ...	0	10	1	01	11	22	17	29	— 6	07	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·00	4·00	7·72
	Chintamani ...	...	...	1	28	8	94	16	02	— 7	08	Ragi	7·00	7·00	17·25
	Mulbagal ...	...	...	0	57	8	69	17	05	— 8	36	Kulthi	6·50	6·50	11·75
	Sidlaghatta ...	...	...	1	39	9	79	18	54	— 8	75	Kadale	4·50	4·50	9·10
	Chikballapur ...	...	...	0	97	15	20	17	75	— 2	55				
	Bagepalli ...	...	...	1	18	11	32	16	47	— 5	15				
	Goribidnur ...	...	...	0	73	10	77	17	46	— 6	69				
	Malur ...	0	50	1	26	6	84	17	45	—10	61				
	Srinivaspur ...	...	...	1	15	11	48	17	50	— 6	02				
	Gudibanda ...	0	22	1	18	16	91	20	76	— 3	85				
	District average...	0	07	1	10	10	95	17	71	— 6	76				
TUMKUR.	Tumkur ...	...	...	0	61	14	27	17	52	— 3	25				
	Maddagiri ...	0	10	0	73	9	86	16	65	— 6	79	Rice, 2nd sort	4·25	4·00	8·00
	Chiknayakanhalli ...	...	...	0	56	8	22	14	80	— 6	58	Ragi	7·50	7·50	18·00
	Sira ...	...	...	0	76	9	22	12	90	— 3	68	Kulthi	6·50	6·50	10·00
	Gubbi ...	...	...	0	96	12	93	20	57	— 7	64	Kadale	4·00	4·00	8·00
	Tiptur ...	...	...	0	25	6	34	12	42	— 6	08				
	Pavagada ...	...	...	0	57	6	84	12	84	— 6	00				
	Kunigal ...	...	...	0	59	12	02	18	00	— 5	98				
	Koratagere ...	...	...	0	47	10	21	16	46	— 6	25				
	Turuvekere ...	...	...	0	60	5	95	16	61	—10	56				
	District average ...	0	01	0	61	9	59	15	87	— 6	28				

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday						Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week	Last ten years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1920							
			This year	Average of past ten years	Excess (+) or defect (−) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3	4	5		6		7	
	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.					
MYSORE. Mysore	0 00	0 80	10 37	17 36	— 6	99				
Chamrajnagar	0 00	0 96	9 10	13 29	— 4	19				
Seringapatam	0 00	0 70	9 70	14 45	— 4	75		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
Hunsur	0 00	0 35	17 65	18 31	— 0	66		Seers	Seers	Seers
Yedatore	0 00	0 42	8 53	14 21	— 5	68	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·50	6·80
Heggaddevankote	0 15	0 63	30 19	24 54	+ 5	65	Ragi	8·00	8·50	14·31
Gundlupet	0 00	0 74	13 35	15 40	— 2	05	Kulthi	6·75	7·00	13·44
Nanjangud	0 08	1 25	16 12	16 82	— 0	70	Kadale	4·50	4·50	7·33
T. Narsipur	0 45	1 35	12 90	15 88	— 2	98				
Malvalli	0 00	0 56	11 01	14 48	— 3	47				
Mandya	0 00	0 39	12 15	13 98	— 1	83				
Krishnarajpete	0 00	0 29	9 41	17 05	— 7	64				
Nagamangala	0 10	0 63	11 69	13 77	— 2	08				
District average...	0 06	0 70	13 24	16 12	— 2	87				
HASSAN. Hassan	0 23	1 00	15 99	20 09	— 4	10				
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	0 72	1 34	67 17	71 01	— 3	84				
Arkalgud	0 68	0 51	19 14	24 27	— 5	13	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·50	7·00
Belur	0 00	0 69	15 90	26 72	—10	82	Ragi	8 to 9·00	8 to 9·00	16·00
Channarayapatna	0 00	0 69	13 18	16 99	— 3	81	Kulthi	6·00	6·00	12·00
Arsikere	0 00	0 80	9 56	14 55	— 4	99				
Hole-Narsipur	0 05	0 31	9 90	16 49	— 6	59	Kadale	3·00	3·00	7·00
Alur (Sub)	0 22	0 69	26 26	27 98	— 1	72				
District average...	0 24	0 75	22 14	27 26	— 5	12				
SHIMOGA. Shimoga	0 11	0 60	19 01	22 46	— 3	45				
Channagiri	0 22	0 95	19 62	20 46	— 0	84	Rice, 2nd sort.	4 to 5·50	4·00	6·90
Honnali	0 00	0 45	8 69	14 06	— 5	37	Ragi	8·50 to 9·00	9·00	14·70
Shikarpur	0 06	0 43	17 16	24 69	— 7	53				
Sorab	0 57	1 03	39 97	48 81	— 8	84	Kulthi	7·25	6·25	10·50
Sagar	1 15	1 48	56 55	64 91	— 8	36				
Nagar (Kallurkatte)	0 67	1 34	85 73	83 34	+ 2	39				
Tirthahalli	2 17	1 79	92 38	102 69	—10	31				
Kumsi	0 38	0 58	26 04	30 28	— 4	24				
District average...	0 59	0 96	40 57	45 74	— 5	17				
KADUR. Chikmagalur										
Kadur										
Tarikere										
Koppa	Report not received									
Mudgere										
Narasimharajapura										
Sringeri										
District average...										
CHITALDRUG. Chitaldrug	0 28	0 37	8 32	13 60	— 5	28				
Challakere	0 00	0 44	2 80	10 45	— 7	65	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·50	7·50
Hiriyur	0 00	0 45	4 20	14 89	—10	69	Ragi	8·50	8·50	18·00
Holalkere	0 00	0 53	7 12	14 43	— 7	31				
Davangere	0 00	0 41	12 58	13 53	— 0	95	Kulthi	7·00	7·00	15·00
Molakalmuru	0 00	0 92	5 39	13 23	— 7	84				
Jagalur	0 00	0 43	12 05	11 51	+ 0	54	Cholum	8·00	8·00	15·00
Hosdurga	1 02	0 49	6 47	13 88	— 7	41				
Harihar	0 00	0 29	9 88	12 50	— 2	62				
District average...	0 14	0 48	7 64	13 11	— 5	47	Kadale	4·00	4·00	7·50
Provincial average...										

Dhal = Cajanus Indicus. Cholum = Sorghum Vulgare.

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DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
11. Public health.
12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort)	Report not received.
Ragi	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort)	

Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—Weeding and harrowing operations are going on everywhere. Kulthi is being sown in parts of Dodballapur, Kankanhalli, Magadi and Channapatna Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk.

Standing crops.—Standing crops are in a fair condition, but rain is required for the growth of the crops.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Til in parts of Closepet Sub-Taluk.

Estimated outturn.—Til in Closepet Sub-Taluk, 4 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair; want of rain is felt all over the district. Food stuffs are available. The prices continue to be high. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.
11. Plague prevails in all the taluks, except Kankanhalli and Closepet Sub-Taluk. Public health is otherwise generally good.
12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Dodroga in parts of Kankanhalli and Magadi Taluks and "Karalu Roga" in parts of Devanhalli Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.
9. *Seeds sown.*—Sajje, same and horse gram in parts of the Sidlaghatta and Bagepalli Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Fair. Dry crops are reported to be withering and in urgent need of rains throughout the district. Sugar-cane and gidragi are fair under wells.

10. Season prospects fair. The sowing of ragi, etc., is completed. Dry crops are in need of urgent rainfall. Tanks have not received any supply of water so far. Prices of food grains stationary. Labour is sufficient.
11. Public health is generally good, except for small-pox in a village of the Kolar Taluk, plague in the Chikballapur Town is subsiding.
12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Rinderpest in parts of the Chintamani, Sidlaghatta Srinivaspur, and Bagepalli Taluks.